

C 1 between said one face side and said bucket lip, about the point of attachment, by action of a resilient return force found in the material from which said bucket tooth is fabricated.

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C 2 (Twice Amended) The bucket tooth according to claim 1, wherein said axial force fluctuation absorbing means provides said resilient return force during said fluctuations in axial force by causing a warp to occur by resilient deformation of said tooth so that said one face side, bolted in a state where said one face side is positioned on the bucket lip side, becomes a concave face during action of said axial force fluctuation absorbing means.

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C 3 4. (Twice Amended) The bucket tooth according to claim 1, wherein said axial force fluctuation absorbing means provides said resilient return force by spot facing a circumferential portion of a bolt hole, in which said fastening bolt is inserted, on said one face side facing said bucket lip.

5. (Twice Amended) The bucket tooth according to claim 1, wherein said axial force fluctuation absorbing means provides said resilient return force during said fluctuations in axial force by causing a warp to occur by resilient deformation of said tooth so that said one face side, bolted in a state where said one face side is positioned on the bucket lip side, becomes a concave face, and

by spot-facing of a circumferential portion of a bolt hole, in which the fastening bolt is inserted, on said one face side facing said bucket lip.

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